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The Debate on the Bren Gun

Contract

Ottawa, Feb. 14th.—The Bren Gun

contract has been the subject of ex-

tended and bitter controversy in the

House of Commons. The contract for

the manufacture of 7,000 machine

guns for the department of National

Defence was let by the late Mr. J. G.

Duff, a Royal Commissioner in October

and November, and a report was given

to parliament at the opening of the ses-

sion. The John Inglis Company with

whom the contract for 7,000 machine

guns was made also received an order

for 5,000 guns from the British war

office.

In his report Judge Davis exoner-

ated all departmental officials of any

kind in the way of corruption. He

left parliament however to decide

whether in substance the contract was

a good one. Around it a question

political controversy has raged for a

week. The discussion began with the

introduction of a resolution by Mr.

MacNeill of Vancouver to refer the

contract and the commissioner's re-

port to the public accounts standing

committee of the commons for investi-

gation and report. By Mr. Manion pro-

posed an amendment to cancel the con-

tract but this was declared out of

order by the speaker of the house

because it was derogatory. He then

began with a speech from the intro-

duction of the resolution, a number of

members have either spoken or in-

tended to speak. The speaker held the

contract with bitterness and

vigor. The demand that the contract

be cancelled was repeated and ac-

cepted by opposition members.

Among the claims put forward by

the opposition were the following—

tenders should have been taken into

account. The contract was in behalf

of the contract (Major Hahn on beh-

alf of the John Inglis Company had

been awarded the contract on a "cost plus

percentage" basis) and that the In-

glis Company was described as a

"broken down boiler factory." In his

speech on the contract Mr. Hahn,

Minister of Transport, and former con-

tractor, said that the plant of the

Inglis was in reality well established

and capable of turning out good ma-

chinery. The opposition objected to the

government making Major Hahn, a

representative of the Canadian govern-

ment in dealing with the war of-

fice. At least it was claimed, that the

correspondence made it clear that he

was the representative of the Cana-

dian government. It was also stated

that the whole deal smacked of "pat-

ronage." There were other firms in

Canada who could have done the

work, and they had not been asked to

bid on it. It was believed that the

British would hesitate about giving

another munitions order to the In-

glis factories when contrals like the

Bren gun were not cleaned up. On

the government side it was stated

that British orders for machine guns

had dried up because of the attack on

the contract for Bren guns. The British

war office have a contract with the

Inglis Company similar to the defence

country, "I have been asked" said the

Minister "why I selected Hahn. I say,

why not? T. Gallant Canadian soldier,

a very astute industrialist, an able

business man, and yet he is the only

man who has been asked to produce

something like this. For the first

time since the war Canada has joined

hands with the Motherland to ob-

tain the guns necessary to their com-

mon defence. At the same time the

contract was awarded the Canadian

industry more than \$1,000,000 in

cost of production. (He referred in

this to the British having also placed

a contract for guns with the In-

glis company which it was estimated

would reduce the cost to Canada by

the amount mentioned). He consid-

ered the portfolio of defence a sacre-

dotal, the minister said, when the

controversy would be over for a con-

sidered in the interest of the coun-

try's defence.

Following Mr. Manion, the leader of

the Opposition, who spoke early in

the debate a number of those who had

been members of the cabinet in the

Bennett regime took part. Among

them were Mr. George Stirling, former

Minister of National Defence, Mr.

Stewart and Mr. Cahan. In the course

of his criticism of the minister and

the contract Mr. Cahan paid tribute to

a number of officials of the depart-

ment of national defence. No reflec-

tion he said could be cast on the de-

puty minister, general Laflamme, who

was loyal to his position and he made

the whole controversy, however

has been acrimonious; tempers have

run high. One speaker said it was

the strangest debate he had ever en-

countered in parliament.

Among measures on the order paper

presented to parliament which will be

considered are resolutions (1) to ap-

prove the trade agreement with the

United States signed on November

17, 1938 at Washington; (2) to au-

thorize the government to raise by way

of loan \$50 million dollars for pay-

ment of redemption of whole or any

portion of loans and obligations of

Canada and also for purchasing and

withdrawing from circulation un-

wanted securities of Canada and for pub-

lic works and general purposes; (3)

to establish a defence purchasing

board for making contracts for the

purchase of munitions, equipment,

materials and supplies for the depart-

ment of National defence; (4) to es-

tablish a commission to inquire into

the conduct of the minister of justice

control and management the peni-

tentiaries will be considered.

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PIUS XI

It is customary in speaking of a de-

parted Pope to link with him the

words "of happy memory." These

words may truly be said in speaking

of Pope Pius XI who passed to his

eternal reward early last Friday

morning, February 10th.

The 36th successor of St. Peter on

the Papal throne combined in his per-

son the vigour and physical endow-

ment of the athlete, for he had been

a mountain climber in his youth, and

the mental acumen of scholar with a

clear insight into the causes and so-

lutions for the many problems that

face the world today. His encyclical

on marriage is a masterpiece of learn-

ing and scholarship which displays

his realization of the importance to

the civilized world of the worth and

influence of domestic society existed

in the home circle. That which he

wrote and published on the economic

difficulties of the world, his "Quad-

ragesimo Anno", is a fitting success-

or to the "Rerum Novarum", and

encyclical on the conditions of the

working classes, of his predecessor Leo

XIII. Statesman and rank and file

citizens have borne witness to the

wisdom and foresight contained in it

with concise and yet complete man-

ner with which he dealt with the

causes and remedies for some of the

ills which afflict a sick economic

world.

Though the head of an institution

which reaches back to the remotest

of early Christian antiquity he gave

an interest in things modern which

gave him the right to speak of the

repose of the soul of his Holiness

Pope Pius XI. After the Mass the so-

lemn absolution was pronounced and

the burial service was sung over the

catafalque erected in the church for

the occasion.

Very many of the Catholics of the

district took the opportunity, by at-

tending at this service, to renew

their faith and to show their love

and loyalty to the man who has

been their spiritual leader for the

past seventeen years.

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To think free is great.

To think right is greater.
A nation is not civilized because a handful of its members are successful in acquiring large sums of money and in persuading their fellows that a catastrophe will occur if they do not acquire it, any more than democracy was civilized because its king had a golden stool and an army of slaves. What matters to a society is—how what it owns than what it is, and how it uses its possessions. It is civilized in so far as its conduct is guided by a just appreciation of non-materialistic order, in so far as it uses its material resources to promote the dignity and refinement of the individual human beings who compose it. Violent contrasts of wealth and power and an undiscriminating devotion to institutions by which such contrasts are maintained and lightened, do not promote the attainment of such ends but thwart it. They are, therefore, a mark, not of civilization, but of its imperfections like the gold rings in the noses of barbarian monarchs, or the diamonds on their wives and the chains on their slaves. And since it is obviously such contrasts which determine the grounds upon which social struggles take place, and marshal the combatants who engage in them, they present, not, indeed, as is some times suggested, a conspiracy to be exposed, but a malady to be cured and a problem which demands solution.
R. H. Tawney. Hatley Stewart Lecture.

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A Farmer's Musings

(Tim Longbottom)

AGITATION—

In view of the fact that the term of the S. C. government will end in 1940, it was not surprising to learn that a number of Social Credit M. L. A.s have been agitating against a return of the undemocratic method used at the last election.

Mr. Abernethy then employed what was called an Advisory Board which had the power of naming the candidate of the party, and the purpose of this board was obvious to all.

If the people of the Province had not been in such a desperate state of mind in 1935 they would not have tolerated such a course, and they should let it be known that they will have no more of it in future.

In this matter, as in other high handed proceedings, "necessity" was the word used to furnish an excuse.

Yet it's a very heroic word, but also so consider what the elder Pitt said about—"Necessity is the plea for every infringement of human freedom. It is the argument of tyrants; it is the creed of slaves."

ABOUT A RUMOR—

Although it is now being whispered around that E. L. Gray will be rewarded with a seat in the Senate, if he fails to lead the liberals to victory in the next election it is to be hoped that a kinder fate will be reserved for this talented gentleman.

At the present time there are two separate groups of individuals in this obsolete institution. The first consists of discarded politicians who have been made comfortable for life through the good will of political leaders. The other bunch is largely made up of wealthy gent who have reached the sixth age of man so aptly described by Will Shakespeare, and whose women folks love to shine in society.

In this company the services of Mr. Gray would be lost to the country which he has already served in a faithful manner at home and abroad.

THE IRISH BRIGADE—

For nearly two centuries the deeds of this famous fighting unit have furnished many writers with stirring themes for their romantic tales.

The force, consisting of exiles from old Erin, varied in strength from three to six thousand men, and for many years it occupied a permanent place on the army lists of French Kings.

Under the leadership of William O'Brien, also other noted soldiers of the period, the Brigade fought at the battle of Enniscorthy and it is generally agreed that the determined assaults of the Irish led to the retreat of the British army.

It has also been said that General McMahon, later President of the French Republic, claimed descent from one of the men who fought on the historic battlefield.

GOERING—

Described by himself as Hitler's most devoted follower, Field Marshall Goering's boast is generally recognized at home and abroad as the simple truth.

The Marshal was one of the first to be attracted by Hitler's doctrines, and he has shared the varying fortunes of his leader with marked fidelity and courage.

In the ill-fated Munich pact he was severely wounded, and it was only after numerous adventures that he was able to announce the aged Hindenburg's decision to make Hitler the Chancellor.

As a young man, Goering served during the world war with the German air force and his record tells of many successes and narrow escapes from death.

Badly wounded in a dog fight with British airmen, his machine fell near the entrenchments of his own people and it was a long time before he was able to fly again.

In another occasion he saw a number of his companions going down to their deaths, but landed in his own.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Christian Science Churches on Sunday. The Golden Text is 1 Peter 3:8. One of the Scriptural citations is "I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus" (Philippians, 3:14). One of the correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, is "Let the perfect model be present in your thoughts instead of its demonstrated opposite. The spiritualization of thought lets in the light, and brings the divine Mind. Life does not destroy, but enlightens."

field with his plane riddled with bullets.

Goering has a firm belief in Hitler's hunches and the leader reciprocates by bestowing on his burly henchman a confidence which no other man in the Reich enjoys. According to a number of well informed writers, Goering is strongly Pro-British in sentiment and clings to the hope that his people and the islanders will be able to settle their differences without resorting to arms.

SALLY'S SALLIES



Rockyford

An interesting game of hockey was played on the home ice between Rockyford and Standard teams on the afternoon of Feb. 15. Ray Ivetz acted as referee and after a well fought 60 minutes the score resulted in a win for Rockyford by a four to two score.

A number of the old timers and friends of Mr. John Dragg gathered at his home on Tuesday, Jan. 15, for a surprise evening in honor of his birthday. Several tables of bridge were enjoyed while others played Lipton in another room. Mrs. John Dragg assisted by her two daughters served a very suitable lunch at the mid night hour.

The hockey game between Hesketh and Rockyford which was to have been played last Friday, Feb. 3rd, was postponed owing to the cold weather the date will be announced later.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie have brought their little boy home from the hospital where he has been under the Doctor's care for several weeks. They feel he is well on the way to a total recovery now.

A very enjoyable evening of bridge was conducted at the home of Mrs. Reich on Wednesday, Feb. 1st when the bridge club was entertained to 3 tables of play. Mrs. W. Rudd had the highest score of the evening. Mrs. Reich was assisted by the other pinch hitters of the society in serving a wonderful lunch for the players.

The annual town council nominations were called for Monday, Feb. 6, for a councillor to fill the vacancy when Mr. T. Birt's term of office expired. The work of the council must have been satisfactory as Mr. Birt was again unanimously nominated back to office to serve for three years.

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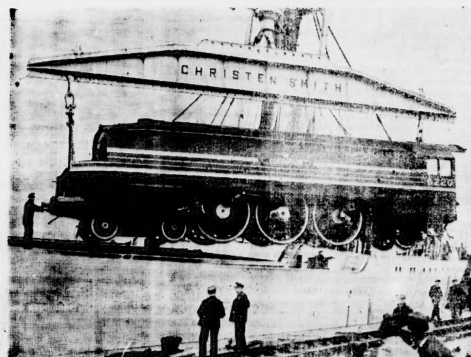
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Once we thought work was a curse; then it came to us that it was a necessary evil; and yesterday the truth dawned upon us that it is a blessed privilege.—Elbert Hubbard.

THE ST. LAWRENCE WATERWAY

A few details on the financial side of this important project.

Considerable discussion is likely to take place in the Federal House during this session on this important and large project, and some of the details from both a financial side, from a political and national view point will be of interest.

This week we touch on the high lights of the financial and practical side.

When completed ocean going ships will be able to pass from Lake Superior to Montreal thence to the Atlantic, the greatest inland waterway in the world.

Ships drawing 25 feet of water can pass at present from Lake Superior to Buffalo while the locks through the Welland ship canal are 27 feet deep and be sunk a further three feet should it become necessary. Lake Ontario and the upper St. Lawrence river as far as Prescott have a 27 ft. channel, but from there on to Montreal no ships drawing more than 14 feet of water can get through.

This short, 115 mile strip, less than one-tenth the distance from Montreal to the head of the lakes, lies in the international and Canadian sections. Not until it is dredged, dammed and deepened to provide a 27 foot channel for ocean going ships will the full benefits of the new Welland canal, which cost Canada \$130,000,000, be realized. Every navigational improvement made for some years has been decided with the vision of steamers from the other side of the world one day sailing the Great Lakes; here is the last barrier to the fulfillment of that dream.

Engineers estimate that nearly 100,000 men would get work directly or indirectly through the building of these dams, canals and locks. Not counting the power houses, because electrical construction is a separate project and would be billed to Ontario, the Dominion government would need to expend only 38 million dollars in the Canadian section for purely navigational work. This alone is expected to take seven years. The United States undertakes to provide the entire sum required to construct the waterway through the international section of the St. Lawrence river, some \$200,000,000 of which, about \$89,000,000 will be spent for Canadian produced materials and Canadian labor.

Canadian share of the enterprise is equal to the American when the whole cost of the entire waterway is added up and divided in half but Canada is being credited with the \$130,000,000 Welland canal along with other improvements.

Latest offer from Washington has been that Canada could defer completing her share of the project until 1949 if necessary meanwhile allowing the United States to go ahead, with

power and navigational developments in the international section.

The locks through Chrysler Island and the end of Barabart Island in the St. Lawrence to take ships drawing 25 feet of water would have to be built first so that the regular navigation up and down the river would not be blocked while the big dams are being across from bank to bank.

The dams would draw out the existing rapids caused by the 22 foot fall in the water level over the 48 miles, near Morrisburg, Ont. This international section extends

FEBRUARY 12TH LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

The Gettysburg Address, delivered by President Lincoln at the dedication of the battlefield as a soldiers cemetery, has become a classic in the oratory of the world.

In memory of Lincoln who ranks among the World's Great Men we re-print his address.

"Four score and seven years ago our fathers brought forth on this continent a new nation conceived in liberty and dedicated to the proposition that all men are created equal. Now we are engaged in a great civil war testing whether that nation, or any nation so conceived and so dedicated, can long endure. We are met on a great battlefield of that war. We have come to dedicate a portion of that field as a final resting place for those who here gave their lives that that nation might live. It is altogether fitting and proper that we should do this. But, in a larger sense, we cannot dedicate, we cannot consecrate, we cannot hallow this ground. The brave men, living and dead, who struggled here, have consecrated it far above our poor power to add or detract. The world will little more long remember what we say here, but it can never forget what they did here. It is for us the living rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be dedicated to the great task remaining before us—that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion—that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain, that this nation under God shall have a new birth of freedom, and that government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

Rockyford

The mild weather of the winter was sadly spoiled last week with the severe drop in temperature and was very cold all week. Signs of a chinook are being anxiously watched.

Owing to the cold weather the Credit House meeting which was called for Wednesday, Feb. 8th was more or less of a failure. Those who were to speak, Mr. Green from Drumheller and his assistant were present and answered all questions from the few who were able to be out. Miss F. Alcock has

been appointed Agent for Rockyford.

The Rockyford Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. C. Bradwell on Thursday, January 28th when the members who did not have to drive too far were present, that being the coldest day for many years. After the state of business was disposed of the ladies joined in a contest arranged by Mrs. Percy, St. Mrs. Pomroy, Jr. found the most correct answers to the puzzles and won the honors. Mrs. Bradwell assisted by Mrs. Birt served a very dainty lunch. The next meeting of the society will be held at the Church parlors on Thursday, Feb. 23.

The Rockyford Bridge Club with their usual two tables of players met at the home of Mrs. Gilbert on Thursday evening, Feb. 9th, when Mrs. Muehlbauer carried off the highest score and the evening prize. Mrs. Gilbert finished off the evening with a very delicious lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Allen were able to bring their baby home from the hospital on Thursday last. He is now doing very nicely and will soon be his old cheerful self again.

After spending a few weeks in Portland and Seattle Mr. and Mrs. H. Munroe have returned home. They report a very nice trip.

Mrs. F. Henke who has been in the hospital for three weeks and had undergone two operations is now home again and well on the way to a complete recovery.

A very pleasant evening was spent by the young people on the 12th when Robert Stone entertained a number of bridge and other games later in the evening. The Ladies High score was made by Thelma Wise and the Gent's by Jimmie Dahm. In the game Miss F. Alcock and Freddy Knight were judged as the best actors. Mrs. Stone served a delightful lunch at the midnight hour.

Rockyford Hockey team motored to Rosedale on Sunday for a friendly game there. They had the honor of the long end of the score, and hoping for a return game in the near future.

Namaka

We regret to know Mr. Ernie Watson is a patient in a Calgary hospital. His many friends are wishing him a speedy recovery.

The hockey game played on Sunday between Orange Valley and Namaka resulted in a score of 6-1 in favor of the home team.

Mrs. Halbert has taken over the duties as teacher in the Primary room, owing to the illness of Miss Jean Curmuck who is now at her home. Her friends are wishing her a speedy recovery.

Two curling teams are competing

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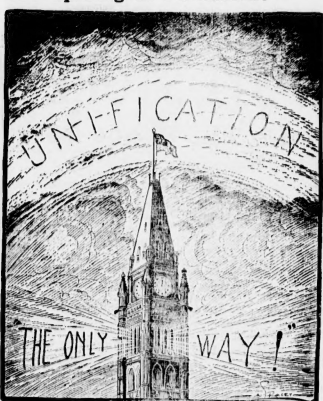
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Miss Edith Hildebrand
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—(10:15)—
 Sunday, February 19th, 1939

10 a.m.—Worship,
 and Junior Congregation.

Subject—"Worthy Worship".

11 a.m.—Church School.

7:30 p.m. Worship.

Subject—"I Know".

The adjourned annual meeting will
 continue immediately at the close of
 the evening worship. Interior alterations
 to the church will be discussed.

—(10:15)—

ST. MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS
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Incumbent—
 (Rev. Geo. W. Lang, B. A. L. L. D.)

Feb. 19—Quinquagesima Sunday

The Sunday before Lent—

8 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy
 Communion.

11 a.m. No service in Strathmore.

11 a.m.—St. Andrew's Gleichen.

Celebration of the Holy Communion,
 and sermon.

2 p.m.—Sunday School.

7:30 p.m.—Evening and sermon.

Beginning Thursday, February 22,
 at 9:30 a.m. weekly Celebrations of
 the Holy Communion will be held
 each Thursday at 9:30 a.m.

—(10:15)—

SACRED HEART CHURCH
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Mass every Sunday 10:30 a.m. ex-
 cepting first Sunday of the month,
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OUT IN FRONT



SPORTS LEDGER

For the first time since the National
 all League scoring statistics were
 first issued this season, Johnny Gott-
 lieb, Chicago Black Hawks' left wing
 star, was replaced as leader when
 Tommy Anderson, who looks after
 the same position for New York Am-
 ericans, snared the only goal his
 team could score in beating Rangers
 3-0 and moved out in front.

The big boustled is well under way
 and going very successfully from all
 angles. There are 24 teams in the
 draws—Raleigh, W. Gray, Snave,
 Wright, W. Anderson, Mallet, George
 Anderson, Smith, Stang, Fred Ander-
 son, Perry, Freeman, Bert Thibron,
 Bremner, Wilson, Kimmitt, Mackie,
 Cock, Rogers, Gunn, James Watson
 and Swanson. There is lots of real
 curling going on, and nobody feels
 sure of the game until it is through
 and on the board. The draws will
 stretch into four days at any rate
 and probably five.

entertaining affair with frills, thrills
 and spills for all. Come out and sup-
 port the local hockey teams.

Canmore Briquetters played Cal-
 cary 1st Wings to 7-6 Monday night
 to take the lead in the first round of
 the Morgan Cup playoffs with total
 points of 11-9.

The Banff Winter Carnival opens
 February 16th to 19th. This is Cana-
 da's biggest winter event.

Trail Smoke Eaters, last year's
 Allan Cup winners, have swept
 through Europe to capture the world's
 amateur hockey crown in a game
 played at Basel, Switzerland. Only
 country to put a counter through was
 Czechoslovakia, who still went down
 8-1. Orsids to the Smoke Eaters—
 champions in Europe.

EXHAUST TRIMMED 14-
 Saturday night the highest score
 that the Wings have piled up this
 year showed on the board when final
 whistle blew. In a speedy, rough and
 tumble game, there were almost as
 many penalties as goals, though many
 tripping and rib jobs went unnoticed.
 Play was generally fast, but unorga-
 nized, ragged, and featured by poor
 passing. Most attention went to body
 checking, rather than hockey. Goalsies
 both worked hard, but with noticeably
 different results, though in the lat-
 ter part of the game, the law could
 hardly break through for even a long
 shot. Ty Groux shone with 7 goals in
 his crown, and Jack Crelia lit up the

Reds 4 Lines. Bob Koch counted two the scoring list. Exhaust's lone point
 others and Charlie Groux completed was from P. McKenzie.

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